



**LAST CALL.**  
**DARES EDITOR TO TESTIFY.**

Pittsburgh Prosecutor Aims at Press Critic.

Will Ask for Steel Magnate's Extradition.

Grand Jury's Long Task Nears Finish.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PITTSBURGH, April 7.—Dist.-Atty. William A. Blaikley tonight issued a general invitation for any or all residents of Allegheny county to appear before the grand jury to contribute any secrets they may hold about grafting in Pittsburgh.

The District Attorney's office is especially directed toward Alexander P. Morris, editor of the Pittsburgh Leader, which, in an editorial today, charged that a prominent man, known to the writer of the editorial, still was to be implicated in the graft scandals as the real man "higher up."

The District Attorney tonight gave out the following statement:

"I have received a g. at many anonymous communications charging that certain individuals are implicated in the graft scandals and in addition I notice in an afternoon paper a definite charge against a man higher up."

"I desire to invite any individual of Allegheny county to come before the grand jury tomorrow morning and I will guarantee ample opportunity to testify."

**AIMS CHALLENGE AT EDITOR.**

"This invitation is directed to A. P. Moore, editor of the Pittsburgh Leader, in particular. He has publicly dared me, upon more than one occasion, to do certain things. I now accept his challenge without condition, and challenge him to produce all his evidence before the grand jury."

A letter to the grand jury tomorrow also was given out.

Dist.-Atty. Blaikley, in discussing his trip to New York City, said that while he was in that metropolis he would follow up his challenge by detective work.

The grand jury made no presentation today, but that the inquisitors were still busy with the bank ordinance cases was evidenced by the presence of J. S. Kahn, president of the Second National Bank.

**WINDING UP LONG TASK.**

The District Attorney and his staff were before the grand jury today presenting what is believed to be the last evidence in the sensational graft case which has stirred this city. The presentation the jurors are now engaged on, it is thought, will occupy their time for several days, when finally handed to the courts will finish a labor of four weeks.

To fill the vacancies in the Council caused by the resignation of its independent Mayor, Major Magee, has called a special election for April 23. Ten days before the proposed election the Mayor will issue a formal proclamation.

The indictment of Frank H. Hoffstot, manufacturer and banker, now living in New York, is generally discussed today. Mr. Hoffstot's extradition, according to the District Attorney, will be asked for, but in the event of the failure of that procedure, it is reported he will be tried in New York.

**INDICTMENT CALLED SCREENCH.**

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 7.—"A hysterical screach," said Marian M. Larkin, counsel for Frank Hoffstot, commenting today upon the Pittsburgh presentation ordering the indictment of Mr. Hoffstot on charges of conspiracy and bribery. Mr. Hoffstot is president of the Pressed Steel Car Company.

"Mr. Hoffstot will not fight extradition," added Mr. Larkin. "Why should he when he is innocent?"

Dist.-Atty. Blaikley said today that so far he had received no request to assist in the extradition of Mr. Hoffstot.

**AUTHORESS QUILTS AUTHOR.**

Katherine Cecil Thurston, Novelist, Divorce Husband, Who Has Unique Views.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, April 7.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Katherine Cecil Thurston, authoress of "John Chilcott, M.P." and other novels, secured a divorce today on grounds of desertion and infidelity, from Ernest Charles Thurston, also an author.

The evidence showed they lived happily together for six years, until in 1907 the husband left home, saying it was necessary for the purpose of his literary work that he should go down into the very depths of society.

He also complained that his wife was making more money than he did, which he must leave her, since her personal earnings depended him.

Another reason given by him was that he was not fit to be any woman's husband, as he could not live the ordinary conventional life of a married man.

**PRESIDENT SEES A SHOW.**

Tsar Dim His Eyes and He Was a Clean, Ragged Handkerchief, He's Watched.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WINSTON (C.) April 7.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] E. S. Elia, editor of the Manchester Herald, recently attended a theater in Washington, occupying a box seat next to President Taft and party. In his paper Mr. Elia said that the President did not appear to mind being looked at by the public.

**EXPLISION KILLS THREE JAPS.**

TOKIO, April 7.—A lighter loaded with dynamite in the harbor of Kobe caught fire today, causing an explosion that killed three persons, wrecked many houses on the waterfront and caused a monetary damage of \$30,000.

**STEAMER SEATTLE BATTERED.**

YOKOHAMA, April 7.—The steamer Minnesota, sailing to Hongkong, arrived today with an eighteen-foot hole in her bottom and having lost her rudder. She will proceed to Hongkong for repairs.

**THEATERS—AMUSEMENTS—ENTERTAINMENTS.**

**TEMPLE AUDITORIUM—Fifth and Olive Sts.**

**Christian Science Lecture**

By FRANK H. LEONARD, C. S. B. of Brooklyn, N. Y.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 10, 1910

AT THREE O'CLOCK.

ADMISSION FREE.

**BASEBALL—TODAY—VERNON vs. PORTLAND**

VERNON PARK, Friday, April 8, 2:30 p. m. Sunday, April 10, 10:30 a. m.

CHUTES PARK, April 8, 10:30-2:30 p. m.

**Superb Routes of Travel.**

**SAN FRANCISCO, SEATTLE—**

PORTLAND, GRAY'S BARRON, BURNETT,  
SPECIAL REDUCED PASSENGER RATES

S. S. Mayflower, San Francisco, April 10-12, 1910.

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MORNING.

# Our Tailor-Made Suits at 1-4 Reduction

## Any \$4.95 Trimmed Hat \$3.95

We make a specialty of trimmed hats at \$4.95. They equal in style and quality any hat shown in town at \$7.50. In this line you will find every style that is new and popular and every color that is in demand. For a special today offering we give you a free and unrestricted choice of any \$4.95 hat in our stock at \$3.95.

**Hale's**  
GOOD GOODS  
341-343-345 S<sup>th</sup> BROADWAY  
In the Heart of the Shopping District.

## \$3.50 Lingerie Waists \$2.75

Beautiful lingerie waists, profusely trimmed with lace and embroideries. Newest sleeves with deep tucked cuffs. Also tailored styles in madras and linen. Fresh new goods. All sizes and a great variety to choose from. Splendid \$3.50 waists on special sale, today, at \$2.75.



**\$1.00 Waists 69c**  
Waists of good lawn. Linens and mercerized cotton are prettily tailored and neatly trimmed styles; in front or back, made with long sleeves. All sizes. All sizes are easily worth \$1.00. On special sale.

DANCING  
at Hotel Metropole every Saturday night. Music by the best band in town. All sizes. All sizes are easily worth \$1.00. On special sale.

Pacific Elec. Bldg.

GO  
S  
RAILROAD

12.50 Suits  
and Coats  
**\$9.38**

**\$18.75 Suits  
and Coats**  
**\$14.05**

15.00 Suits  
and Coats  
**11.25**

**\$20.00 Suits  
and Coats**  
**\$15.00**

## Make Room for Summer Goods Are the Chief's Orders

Our cloak and suit buyer is now in the eastern markets. He has just wired us to close out every tailor-made suit at a quarter reduction to make room for an immense summer stock which he has just purchased. All our spring coats and capes are to be included in this forced sale. The suits are all new, many of them have arrived since Easter. Short coats that are proper in every detail, pleated and tunic skirts. Every popular and wanted cloth is represented and every new spring color is shown. There are plenty of black and the ever-popular cream serges. None are reserved, every suit, coat and cape in our stock must go. The price tickets will remain unchanged and one-quarter reduction will be made from the face of the sales check. Anticipate your future wants and buy liberally.

All Women's Garments One-Quarter Off

**\$22.50 Suits  
and Coats**

**\$16.88**

**\$25.00 Suits  
and Coats**

**\$18.75**

**\$30.00 Suits  
and Coats**

**\$22.50**

**\$40.00 Suits  
and Coats**

**\$30.00**



## Up to \$5 Parasols \$2

Fine silk parasols. Plain colors, bordered effects, plaid and stripes. Some pongee. Good handles. Values up to \$5.00. On sale today at \$2.00 each.

## Women's \$1 Belts 45c

Women's belts of silk elastic in dress and Persian effects; also elastic combined with patent leather; new metal buckles, new styles. Worth \$1.00. On sale today at 45c.

## \$1.25 Angeles Kid Gloves \$1.00

Angeles kid gloves, two clasp; black, white and every wanted color. All sizes from 5 1/2 to 8. Splendid quality at \$1.25. On sale today at \$1.00.



## Scars & Veils \$1.50,

Wool dowlap scarfs and veils. 2 1/2 yards long 1 yard wide. Composition dots on fine silk chiffon giving the dewdrop effect. White and all the popular colors. \$5.00 values. On sale today at \$1.50.



## 10c Mesh Veiling 10c Yd.

Wool dowlap scarfs and spider mesh veiling in black, brown, white and black and white. Good styles. Worth 10c a yard.



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**WASHINGTON.**  
**PLAN TO STOP  
COLD STORAGE.**

*Senate Committee Would Set Limit to Keeping Food.*

*Advise Making Transgression of Time a Crime.*

*Will Tend to Equalize Prices and Benefit Health.*

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

**WASHINGTON.** April 7.—A limit should be put on the use of cold storage for the purpose of maintaining or advancing prices artificially. This is the judgment of the Senate Cost of Living Committee and Chairman Lodge today introduced in the Senate a bill to meet the recommendations.

In presenting the bill, Senator Lodge said:

"Under the resolution of the Senate, the Senatorial committee proposed to inquire into wages and prices of commodities was given authority to make recommendations. In pursuance of that authority the committee now desires to recommend the Senate legislation limiting the time during which perishable articles of food may be held in cold storage. From such investigation as the committee has thus far been able to make, it is satisfied some limit ought to be put on the use of cold storage for the purpose of maintaining or advancing prices artificially. It is of the opinion this limit of time will tend to an equalization of prices and in some cases to a reduction."

The investigation of this subject is not completed, but it has proceeded far enough to confirm by the results thus far obtained the view taken by the committee.

**TO GUARD PUBLIC HEALTH.**

The question of the public health is not within the jurisdiction of your committee charged with the investigation into wages and prices. The committee has no right, however, than the limitation of the time during which perishable articles of food, and more especially meat products, may be retained in cold storage would be hygienic of very great value.

It would tend to check many physical troubles which are thought by those who have examined the question to be attributable to the practice of keeping meat, particularly, in storage for a very long time.

The committee, therefore, recommends legislation in this direction by Congress at the earliest possible moment."

Mr. Lodge's bill will provide that food kept in cold storage for more than one year should be considered as adulterated, and that any food taken out of cold storage and erroneously marked as to the time it had been in storage should also be regarded as misbranded in violation of the pure food law.

**FUTURE PLANS.**

The committee through Mr. Lodge also asked the Senate for instructions in the matter of continuing the investigation into the cost of living. It was agreed that four months would have been required to complete the work, and that it would necessitate an expenditure of \$45,000. The outline of the committee's plan was to call for statements to be obtained from forty buyers in selected localities covering the price paid to the producer on the first of January, February, March, April, May and June of each year from 1899 to 1909, inclusive, for all grains, live stock, and other farm products.

It contemplates also the procuring of wholesale prices by the Bureau of Labor for 200 commodities for 1899 and the first four months of 1910 in order to bring down to date the statements already given since the year 1890.

The Bureau of Labor would be called upon to obtain wholesale prices from 1897 to 1910 on all kinds of agricultural implements.

Retail prices paid by the consumer on seventy-one articles would be obtained covering the same periods as were previous to producers' prices. This list is intended to include all articles covered by the Senate resolution providing for the investigation except for which the committee says it seems practically impossible to obtain reliable comparative figures.

**TO INVESTIGATE WAGES.**

Under the head of retail prices the committee says prices should be obtained from four establishments in each of twenty selected cities, and that the stores should be those patronized by the consumers.

An investigation would be made of wages, salaries and hours of labor from pay rolls for a stated period in each of the two years 1898 and 1900, from at least ten established firms in long list of diversified manufacturers and at least ten cities covering department stores, stores, railways, telegraph and telephone companies in fifteen states and the District of Columbia scale for building trades, contractors, dock hands, iron moulder and machinists. It is suggested also that the prevailing wages of agricultural laborers, miners and sailors should be obtained.

A report of the findings of even partial report during the investigation. He turned then to the contemplation of the possibilities, in connection with the fall politics.

"The question will meet us at home," he said, "and they will be aggravated in sympathy with the Congressional elections. I trust we may count on the committee supplying us with much useful material, such as all or most of what is desirable between now and next November."

Senator Bacon deplored the suggestion of the Maine Senator. He had not supported the resolution was to be used merely for the purpose of supplying election materials.

Mr. Hale agreed with Mr. Bacon's high estimate of the purposes of the committee, but at the same time, he said he realized it might be impossible to prevent the use of the material in the campaign.

Mr. Lodge said that if there was any politics in the cost of living inquiry he did not desire to have it. He could not say what conclusion the committee would reach or whether the public would agree with the committee's findings.

Go to the Cooksey Barber Shop. Your barbershop is the finest shop with every bath. All the rooms you want. 5 cent bath or 8 for \$1. 25-35 W. 47th St.

ALFRED C. PITCHER has written a most interesting article on "Visions, the Mystery, the Miracles" for The Times Magazine of the month of April.

**RESEARCH REWARDED.**  
**GROUCH MICROBE CAUSE OF HUMAN WOE, FINDS WOMAN.**

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

**NEW YORK.** April 7.—[Exclusive Dispatch] "Grouch" was diagnosed and discussed upon by Mrs. Mildred M. Easton this afternoon in the Waldorf-Astoria at the fourth meeting of the Life As a Fine Art Club.

Mrs. Easton modestly heads her programme with two mottoes. The first is: "For I know that what I bestow to any man or woman is not less than the entrance to all the gifts of the universe." The second reads: "Behold, I do not give lectures or a little charity. What I give, I give out of myself."

"What is it?" the lecturer asked plaintively. "that makes us go to bed in the most cheerful frame of mind, and in the morning wake up utterly unable to remember where we have slept?"

There was a sacrificial snicker from the one man present, but everybody else looked properly puzzled.

"What," continued Mrs. Easton, with a smile, "the lecturer treated 'justify'?"

"The lecturer treated 'justify'?" asked Mrs. Easton, with a little smile in her voice. "No. The Judge had a grouch."

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"Will you not have sufficient men and supplies from you to make at least two weeks. Can make no arrangements to cargo space."

H. S. BATES Statement in this telegraph is to quit. No one could get his cargo down there if he knew that it will be received by Secretary.

Bates said when he was in Washington conference with Secretary and a statement was made by Vice-President Drake, in the press, that he could secure a lot of cargo offered at hand by the Pacific side, its own and the Atlantic side, if the War should instruct him to do this." Bates

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Many women suffer from nervousness, accompanied by loss of weight and pallor, showing that there is a loss of nutrition and that the blood is becoming deficient in quantity or quality. This is a condition that may be followed by serious consequences unless corrected.

To cure it the failing nutrition must be arrested, the patient's weight and strength built up and the blood restored to its normal condition. Besides good food, artificial aids to digestion and tonics it is usual to recommend change of climate in such cases.

The one remedy that has cured this condition, strengthened the digestion, toned up the nerves and made the blood pure and rich is that described by Mrs. M. C. Sprout, of No. 444-3 Wall street, Los Angeles, Cal., who tells of her cure by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as follows:

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Never before has it been possible to gather so many high up automobile men in one place at one time. For seven days of racing the drivers are to send their racing machines at top speed over the boards. All world records are in danger and every race may mean the changing of form charts for every car.

New world champions are to be made. The sprinters are to appear in mile dashes. The distance men are to have a chance. The opportunity is here to meet such men as Oldfield, De Palma and Robertson and local drivers are to be given a chance to race against the country's fastest stars.

With the highest officials of the Automobile Association of America here at the track decision will be given and disputes settled immediately. The referee can refer his questions direct to Chairman Butler and decisions can be rendered before the sun goes down.

Samuel Butler, the biggest gun in the automobile world, comes to town yesterday and is to hold court for seven days at the Motordrome. Butler's word will be law. He is the court of last resort. To him all questions which puzzle Referee Stevens will be offered for solution. Butler is chairman of the Contest Board of the Automobile Association of America.

When the overnight train rolled in yesterday Butler was met by a delegation of automobile men headed by Roy P. Hillman, local representative of the A.A.A., and president of the Automobile Club of Southern California. Butler will be the guest of Hillman during his stay here, and is being entertained at the Hillman Club.

There is no foolishness about Butler. He hews straight to the mark. He knows the racing game thoroughly, acquiesces with all the tricks, and cannot be hoodwinked. The referee thinks and decides. Butler looks a well-to-do New York politician. He is one of the best-liked automobile men in this country. Everybody has a good word for him. "Big" Butler.

George Robertson, in the Simplex, in the last swift whirl of the practice time trials at the Motordrome yesterday, drove fourteen miles in 31 1/2 sec., beating all other marks and covering the best time since 1908. It is the same distance, made by De Palma on the board track. The few who witnessed the fast trial of the Simplex were willing to wager that Robertson will do even better in coming in the classic events, even Oldfield and De Palma, if necessary.

## HOLDS HER TRUE.

Thundering around the track made greasy by the many practice spins, Robertson held his car true to the green bank line. The Simplex did not skid or swerve. There was no movement toward the toe of the track. The car was driven with throttle wide open. There is no reason why Robertson cannot drive this way today.

Barney Oldfield must drive his Knox flat out to win. If he does, he would beat the Simplex, even with a good handicap. Robertson made miles in 38 yesterday, and kept at it for fourteen miles.

When the Simplex had finished the race, the tires had been worn to the fabric. It would have been dangerous to drive farther. Here is an element which may defeat the larger car in the race.

A big scraper was at work all day leveling the ground.

Kerscher took the Darraq around for several laps, but owing to the slippery condition of the track, did not make very good time. At one time he skidded far up the bank. His best mile was 39 1/2 sec.

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Three Officials Who Are to Act at the Motordrome Races Today, being only a few of the large number required to keep time and see that the contests are run off according to the rules of the American Automobile Association.

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[PART I] DAY MORNING.

DODGINS IN.  
JEFFRIES WORKING HARDFellow Puts in Long and  
Strenuous Day.Singers Believe That Jim  
Might Go Stale.Ager to Purchase Auto for  
Champion's Use.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.

EN LOMOND, April 7.—James J. Jeffries buckled down to real training today. He ran nine miles along the rocky roads leading out of his training camp, played hard baseball two hours, and then worked in the criminal court until the perspiration drenched his body.

The exercise of the day was so strenuous that the year was voiced by several members of the camp that Jeffries would be overtrained when he stepped into the ring to face Jack Johnson July 4.

The retired champion, who has now come out of retirement and is working on the enthusiasm of a young pugilist, had a long road to travel to a championship match, was cautioned several times during the day not to run too hard.

Jeffries was up and ready at 5 a.m. in the morning, accompanied by wrestler Farmer Burns, Bob Armstrong, and his two nephews, Jeff and Tom, on a jog to the village of Bouldin Creek, over a half mile from camp. When he reached the village he turned around and jogged right back to camp. His pace was easy and his mind was good when the spin was over.

After a rest of a few hours Jeffries donned his undershirt and led the way to the baseball field. For nearly two hours he tossed the ball around with his grandsons from the bat of an hour.

Later handball became the order of the day, with Armstrong and Jeff as opponents.

## LOSING FLESH.

The effect of all this, coupled with the mountain climbs and the previous two days' training was evident in the fighter's condition. He has reduced his bulk and the change in the size of his waist line already is regular.

The fear of Jeffries' trainers that will overwork and fall stale before fight is shown in the new camp. Jeffries has a morning road walk and a second boxing session with Armstrong and Jeff in the afternoon.

He will go to San Francisco tomorrow. When the machine arrives in San Fran Jeffries will use it to travel to the ocean, where he expects indulge in surf bathing.

## Men Busy Explaining.

Romans have been on the explanation since he returned to Oxford three weeks ago. Harry knocked him out in their fight at the sugar beet harvest, master of fact. Roman put Harry to sleep three times, Johnny taking his count in the fifth round.

TIGERS DEFEATED.

Philadelphia, April 7.—Hartwright champion of \$10,000 damage suit against Wallace-Stratford Hotel today said it was held that a man who had been given price fighting laws in any hotel was undesirable guest. Neilson, who was at the hotel last Saturday, was asked to leave when management learned who he was.

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CURTISS BREAKS RECORD.  
New Aeroplane Quick Start Mark Set  
by Veteran Aviator in Meet at  
Memphis.(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)  
MEMPHIS ( Tenn.) April 7.—Aeroplanes swooping in graceful curves and darting about the course, gave to thousands here today their first real knowledge of aviation.

Particular flights and the breaking of a world's record by Glenn H. Curtiss were the features of the second day of the Memphis aviation meet.

Weather conditions were perfect, and the aviators, having become accustomed to the course, give promise of sensational flights.

A quick start record of 6 2-5s, made at the Los Angeles meet, was broken by him with ease this afternoon. He rose from the ground in 5 4-5s, but in the same test failed to break his short start record of 9ft.

After breaking the record the aviator took his wife up on her first flight.

Charles F. Willard attempted to lower his accuracy record, but failed.

J. C. Marx, one of Curtiss' latest pupils, made his first flight in public.

## WRONG CALCULATIONS.

DIEUDONNE WINS  
MARIN FEATURE.SHEEHAN FAILED TO SHOW MUCH  
SPEED IN HANDICAP.Cloudlight Driven Hard in Big  
Event of Emeryville Card—Trotter  
Tells and Runner Falls to Catch Up.  
Archibald Proves Winner on Two  
Mounts in Fast Races.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

OAKLAND, April 7.—Likely Dieudonne upset calculations by winning the Marin Handicap at Emeryville today. John H. Sheehan, with Cloudlight, was thought to be the best. Sheehan did not get away as well as usual and did not show much speed. Cloudlight roared after Likely. Dieudonne was thought to be the best but the weight told on her and she could not get up.

Archibald was again in evidence, winning on Dixie Dixon and Aftermath.

Future course, selling: Dixie Dixon, 119 (Archibald); Pride of Liamore, 112 (Thomas); third; time, 1:12. Gelico, Silk, W. V. Brumby, Descendant, Baby, Sulky and El Peacock also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Marse Abe, 111 (Rites); won; Marburg, 112 (Archibald); second; Dr. Dougherty, 181 (Selma); third; time, 1:14. Lena Lech, Father Stanford, Ampedo, Anne McGee and Arthur Rose, also ran.

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## Classified Liners

**FOR SALE—Homes**  
FOR SALE—\$125 CASH, BEST VALUE IN southwest. Beautiful new seven-room bungalow, garage and deck, built in modern construction and finished in stone. Fifty-foot lot in choice neighborhood. Large front porch, built-in fireplace, porticoes. The seven rooms are large and airy, admirably arranged, with massive brick mantel. Buffet is inlaid in rosewood. Grand piano and its own dainty buffer and the den a writing desk, bookcases, and Holmes's disappearing piano. All rooms have fireplaces. Many built-in cupboards, with sliding doors. Painted in white enamel; cement porch, floor, and ceiling. Lighted by incandescent lamps. Hot and cold water. For further details call at 16 MATTAN PLACE.

**FOR SALE—GREATEST BARGAIN IN THE CITY.** Two-story, six-room residence. Downstairs finished in stained pine and hard wood. Upstairs, all pine, including paneled ceiling, paneled walls, wainscoting, extra large bath; pressed brick mantel; door has built-in cupboard; kitchen, whitewashed; screen porch, mahogany tray; 3 bedrooms with large closets; and central heating. Painted in white enamel; cement porch; floor and ceiling. Lighted by incandescent lamps. Hot and cold water. For further details call at 16 MATTAN PLACE.





## RAILROAD RECORD. NEW ROAD TO SPAN ALASKA.

### ROOSEVELT IN ITALY.

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been transferred and no time was lost in making the start. The group of Italians, armed with hewed machetes, the two from a respectful distance, was rewarded with nods and smiles, and as they drove away, Col. Roosevelt looked back and waved his hand in farewell.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt ap-

peared in health.

It will be made at the little taver-

ns in the old Roman towns that are

perched picturesquely on the summits

of the foothills.

Mr. Roosevelt's request to the Ital-

ians, as well as the American cor-

respondents there, and Mrs. Roosevelt

allowed to enjoy a seclusion during

the drive will be observed.

On the evening of April 12, the

Roosevelts will leave Porto Mouris-

to Vienna, stopping at Venice for a

few days.

Before leaving here, the former Pres-

ident and Mrs. Roosevelt went to the

Hotel Croce di Malta, where they were

disapproved in the highest and most

important circles. Including many

members of the Sacred College, who

held Cardinal Merle Del Val, and not

the Pope, responsible. These prelates

point out that Mr. Roosevelt has al-

ways shown the most profound re-

spect for the Catholic Church and now

the church had offended him.

The Main idea behind the adver-

saries of the Papal secretary will seize

the incident as a weapon with which

to break down his authority and pres-

tige.

A stop for the night was made at

Rapallo.

**DESTINY.**

**LINKS ROOSEVELT WITH NAPOLEON.**

**SINCE BONAPARTE NO FIGURE SO STARTLING, SAYS WATTERSON.**

**FOR LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.**

**ARRIVED—THURSDAY, APRIL 7.**

**Steamship Governor, Capt. Joseph, from San Diego.**

**Steamship Admiral Sampson, Capt. Bartlett, from Seattle, via San Francisco.**

**Steamer Samoa, Capt. Madson, from San Diego.**

**Steamer Hornos, from San Francisco.**

**U. S. torpedo boat destroyer Paul Jones and Gunboat No. 1, Capt. Clegg, from San Francisco.**

**Steamer Dagmar, Capt. Shuster, 320 tons, from Alameda, Calif., leading.**

**British ship Glomar, Capt. Williams, leading at anchor.**

**Tide Table for San Pedro.**

**Friday, April 8..... 12:11 a.m. 2:08 a.m.**

**Saturday, "..... 9:06 a.m. 2:43 a.m.**

**Sunday, "..... 10:45 a.m. 2:03 p.m.**

**Monday, "..... 11:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.**

**Tuesday, "..... 12:15 a.m. 4:53 p.m.**

**Wednesday, "..... 1:15 p.m. 4:30 p.m.**

**Thursday, "..... 1:45 p.m. 5:15 p.m.**

**Friday, "..... 2:15 p.m. 7:01 a.m.**

**Port Items.**

**Steamship Governor, Capt. Lilligust, completed the 100-foot long port of honor for the E. M. Wood Lumber Company, in ballast for Moquiwa to load**

**for Honolulu.**

**After discharging a cargo of railroad ties at San Diego, the steamer Samco, Capt. John H. Johnson, arrived at San Francisco.**

**The Alaska-Pacific Company's steamship Samco, Capt. John H. Johnson, arrived this afternoon from Seattle, via San Francisco, with a large passenger and freight list. The Pacific Coast Company's steamship**

**Pacific, Capt. John H. Johnson, has been**

**engaged to transport boat destroyers Paul Jones and Goldsborough are expected to arrive during the night from San Diego, and will join the**

**fleet.**

**The Manning Company's passenger steamer Hermosa has returned from San Francisco.**

**Capt. Arthur Raven, in command of the steamer**

**Aberdeen, Capt. H. M. Homer has assumed**

**charge of the port of honor for the E. M. Wood Lumber Company.**

**Steamer Despatch, Capt. Carey, has**

**arrived from Columbia River, bringing 60,000 feet of lumber for the National Lumber Com-**

**pany.**

**Port Pilot Hamilton is keeping a lookout**

**for the Norwegian steamer Samco, Capt. John H. Johnson, who is en route from**

**Autofagata, Chile, via Manzanillo, Mex., with a full load of lumber.**

**The steamer Olympic, Capt. Hansen, arrived this afternoon from Bellingham, bringing 90,000 feet of lumber consigned to the E. M. Wood Lumber Company.**

**REDONDO BEACH.**

**ARRIVED—THURSDAY, APRIL 7.**

**Steamship Governor, Capt. Joseph, from San**

**Diego.**

**Steamer Anna, Capt. Campbell, from Everett.**

**Steamer Tropic, Capt. Madson, from Portland.**

**TO SAIL—FRIDAY, APRIL 8.**

**Steamship Admiral Sampson, Capt. Bartlett, for Seattle, via San Francisco.**

**Steamer Golden Shore, Capt. Madson, from Seattle.**

**Steamer Golden Shore, Capt. Mad**

## THE CITY IN BRIEF



There's some mistake!

## TODAY AND TONIGHT.

**THEATERS**

Auditorium	"Ghosts"	8:15 p.m.
Bataclan	"The Lion and the Mouse"	8:15 p.m.
Granada	"The Love Tales of Hoffmann"	8:15 p.m.
Metropole	"Princess of Trebbin"	8:15 p.m.
Nicholson	"Carmen"	8:15 p.m.
Paramount	"The Man from the Moon"	8:15 p.m.
Los Angeles-Vanderbilt	"The Man from the Moon"	8:15 p.m.
Orpheum-Van Nuys	"The Man from the Moon"	8:15 p.m.

**BASEBALL**

At Vernon-Portland vs. Vernon	2:30 p.m.
FREE LECTURE	
San Joaquin Valley-Free information	
Information about the San Joaquin Valley Interception view, daily, at No. 231 South Spring street, at	2:00 p.m.
"Theatre Interceptions"	
Permanent exhibit at the Chamber of Commerce building on Broadway.	

**BUREAU OF INFORMATION.**

Times Branch Office, No. 21 South Spring Street.

## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

**Dr. Hunt Dead.**

Dr. C. W. Hunt, formerly a dentist in this city, died at his home in Spaulding yesterday afternoon. He was 65 years of age and leaves a widow.

**Eastern Star Play.**

Garrison Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will present the romantic drama "East Lynne" at Gamut Club Hall, No. 1044 South Hope street, on Thursday evening, April 14.

**The City of God.**

The City of God" is the theme upon which the Rev. Dr. S. Hecht will discourse at the weekly Sabbath service at Temple B'nai Brith, this Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Services tomorrow begin at 10:30 a.m.

**Pay for Tree Planting.**

The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association voted the amount asked for by the Arbor Day Committee to help defray the expenses of the tree planting on that day. This action was taken at the directorate meeting, yesterday.

**For the Marsh Family.**

The fund for the relief of the Marsh family, for which contributions were sent to The Times, is as follows: Previously acknowledged, \$86.35; Mrs. W. E. C. 42; Mrs. B. S. H.; a friend, \$1; total, \$111.25.

**Twentieth Anniversary.**

The various branches of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association will celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the society with a public reception, to be held at Father Meyer Memorial Hall, St. Vincent's College, this evening. An interesting programme has been prepared for the occasion.

**To Address Students.**

Rev. Dr. W. H. W. Boyce of Lake Forest, Ill., will deliver an address before the students of Occidental College at 11 o'clock this morning. Dr. Boyce was the principal speaker at the young woman's conference at Occidental, which will spend a few days in Southern California. He will preach in Immanuel Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning.

**"Very Playful" Dog Nips Child.**

Florence Johnson, a 9-year-old girl living with her parents at No. 413 Compton avenue, was bitten by a dog last night. The animal nipped her ear when she was playing in front of her home. The child was taken to the Receiving Hospital where her wound was cauterized and dressed. The location was not so serious and Police Surgeons say she will experience no dangerous effects. Investigations made by patrolmen later resulted in locating the owner of the dog. He asserted that the animal is simply "very playful."

**Would Build Amusement Pier.**

In Miller's Beach a man has made application to the War Department for permission to construct an amusement pier on the ocean front at Long Beach. The proposed pier is to be constructed at a point which extends into the ocean nearly 500 feet. A map is now on file in the office of Lieut.-Leeds, Corps of Engineers, U.S.A. Interested parties are invited to inspect the map and submit in writing any objections based on navigation interests. As far as known, there is no opposition to the construction of the pier.

**Lieut. Ehrnbeck Ordered North.**

Lieut. Arthur R. Ehrnbeck, Corps of Engineers, U.S.A., who has been assigned to Los Angeles as resident engineer, has been ordered to report at once to Vancouver Barracks, Wash., according to a special dispatch from Washington. D. C., late night. Lieut. Ehrnbeck came here from Mexico, while Capt. A. Fries was in charge of the local office. His new destination is with the Co. F, Second Battalion, Corps of Engineers. Lieut. Ehrnbeck, who has not received the order, but would probably get official confirmation today. Owing to the shortage in officers of the Corps of Engineers, it is possible that Lieut. Ehrnbeck may not be called to take Lieut. Ehrnbeck's place for some time.

**State Reality Convention Date Set.**

Six directors of the State Reality Federation at a meeting held in the offices of Herbert Burdett, secretary of the Los Angeles Reality Board, yesterday afternoon decided upon September 16 and 17 as the date for the State convention of the California dealers in diry, which is slated for San Jose. These directors were entertained at luncheon at the Angelus by the officers of the local board. The meeting of the directors was not limited to business and in view of the choosing of a convention site. The directors who met were D. R. Scott of Tulare; W. E. Preme of Porterville; D. J. Wren of Modesto; C. C. Justice of Berkley; and A. R. Mott of Lakewood.

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**pacity Audience, With Almost**  
**Double Thousand in Receipts.**

The benefit of the Theatrical Managers' Association, which was given at the Mason Operahouse yesterday afternoon, was the most successful affair in the organization's history. The intended programme of acts and excerpts being presented, with a net financial result for the association's beneficiary fund of nearly \$1800.

There was a capacity audience—and more than the capacity of the chairs, for the benches at the back of the house were quickly filled with late comers and orchestra. It was the largest audience of its kind which ever assembled at the Mason.

The general management of the affair, during the afternoon, devolved upon H. C. Wyatt and Oliver Moreso, with L. E. Behmer, Clarence Drown, Charles V. Kavanaugh and Ferris Hartman as assistants.

The stage was under the chief direction of Dick Ferris, with William Hamilton Cline as his principal assistant.

Back of the curtain was a motley corps, representing all manner of companies, ranging from the flagrant vaudevillian and his brethren to the actor of serious drama—with much musical comedy sandwiched between.

The pretty chorus girls of the Ferris Hotel were principally responsible for the success of the programmes and flowers, from the sale of which \$150 was netted. These damsels, coming late from a long rehearsal, worked ardently at this, and then remained most of the afternoon in the two lots allotted from their own creation. The Harlequins probably devoted more time to the performance, "behind" and "in front," than any of the other actors.

The programme lasted from about 12:30 o'clock until well after 5.

There were few mishaps, barring such small incidents, most of a mechanical nature, as resulted from the hasty and the indiscriminate mixing of stage crews.

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## PUBLIC SERVICE—Courts and Offices.

## SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Board of Public Utilities is arranging a conference with the steam and electric lines to provide safety at grade crossings.

Two fire boats for San Pedro harbor are asked for by the Fire Commission, cooperation of the port and shipping interests of the port.

G. L. Martin of Santa Ana was rescued from incarceration in the City Jail yesterday, after he had been fined \$25 by Justice Frederickson in the Police Court on a charge of speeding his automobile, when his girl companion contributed to the payment.

## AT THE CITY HALL

## GRADE CROSSING CONFERENCE.

## UTILITIES BOARD ASKS RAILROADS TO JOIN IN ONE.

Lissner Says the Problem is Important to the Roads and the Public and Should Be Settled by Amicable Methods—City Has Right to Require Safety.

A traffic conference is a feature of investigation authorized by the Board of Public Utilities and has been for the purpose the friendly settlement of the problem of permanent safety at grade crossings of steam and electric lines.

The arrangements were announced by President Lissner of the Utilities Board yesterday and he said several of the roads had accepted the arrangement and that it was believed all would.

"The safety at grade crossings," said Lissner, "is becoming imperative to Los Angeles and it is the belief of the board that a continuing conference between all the interests affected will promote speedy and amicable relief. It does not mean universal separation of the street grade from the railroad, either by elevation or depression. It means that we are to determine by conference what is best to do. In many cases separation will be necessary, but it may be that in many others, different devices, such as gates and interlocking switches, will prove adequate."

The City Attorney has already held meetings with the Council that the city has power to require the other to require railroads to elevate or depress tracks or to provide other means for the safety of traffic across tracks and the companies must bear the cost. For this reason Lissner believes the question of a division of the cost will be regulated entirely by the facts in each case. If the city has the power to require safety devices at the expense of the companies, he believes the public should pay only when it is clear that the putting of the whole burden on the company is unjust. In such case Lissner believes the city should bear its full share.

The companies invited to the conference are the Salt Lake, the Santa Fe, the Southern Pacific, the Los Angeles lines and the Los Angeles Pacific. No date for the first conference has been set because all the answers have not been received.

Similar conferences have been worked out in many eastern cities where the problems were more complex and the dangers greater than here and laws have been passed dividing the cost proportionately among the companies and the public and providing the methods of paying consequential damages. These laws fix the division between the public and private parties, the proportion being 50 per cent. on each to as low as 10 per cent. on the municipality. In many cities it was found that the equal division of cost operated to defeat plans for safety devices which were financially unable to bear the burden.

The progress of the work, especially in Chicago, has shown that relief for the surface travel must be accomplished without public expense without damage to industries and with speed where there is no unjust division of the cost.

## HARBOR FIRE BOATS.

## CITY MAY HAVE TWO.

Fire boats for San Pedro harbor are probable if the Council does not consume so much time in kicking the question around it committee that the opportunity may disappear. Their sensibility has been urged every since the annexation of the harbor region, but it was not until last Friday that it was reported to the Fire Commission yesterday that a satisfactory scheme was found.

Acting under authority of the Fire Commission, Treadle took the question with the lumber companies of the harbor region and the Wilmington Transportation Company. As a result he got the Wilmington Transportation to furnish two boats, the "Falcon" and the "Warrior," equipped with engines capable of throwing three and one-half tons of steam at a pressure of 150 pounds. One of the ships is to be on duty in the day and another at night, always with steam up. The lumber companies are to man the engines and the city is expected to furnish the men and the fuel and pay \$25 a month as its share of the cost of maintenance.

The proposal met immediate approval from the commissioners who sent a request to the Council to appropriate the money so that the necessary agreements may be entered into and the service established.

## ACCUSING HUMPS.

## GRADING CONTRACT TRIAL ENDS.

The suit of S. M. Huber against Charles M. and George W. Stinson, to recover on a contract for leveling lands, was brought to a close yesterday. Judge Conrey reserved his decision. Huber agreed with the Stinsons to put eighty acres, which they owned in San Bernardino county, in trust so that they could raise alfalfa. He was to get \$250 for his labor and was paid \$100 while the work was in progress.

When he finished they refused to pay him the remainder, alleging that he had not leveled all the land and that it would be impossible to irrigate it. One of the exhibits in the case was a map which was not dissimilar to a drawing of the Rocky Mountains. The accused spots were said to represent the humps which were left in the ground.

## CRUEL TO HUSBAND.

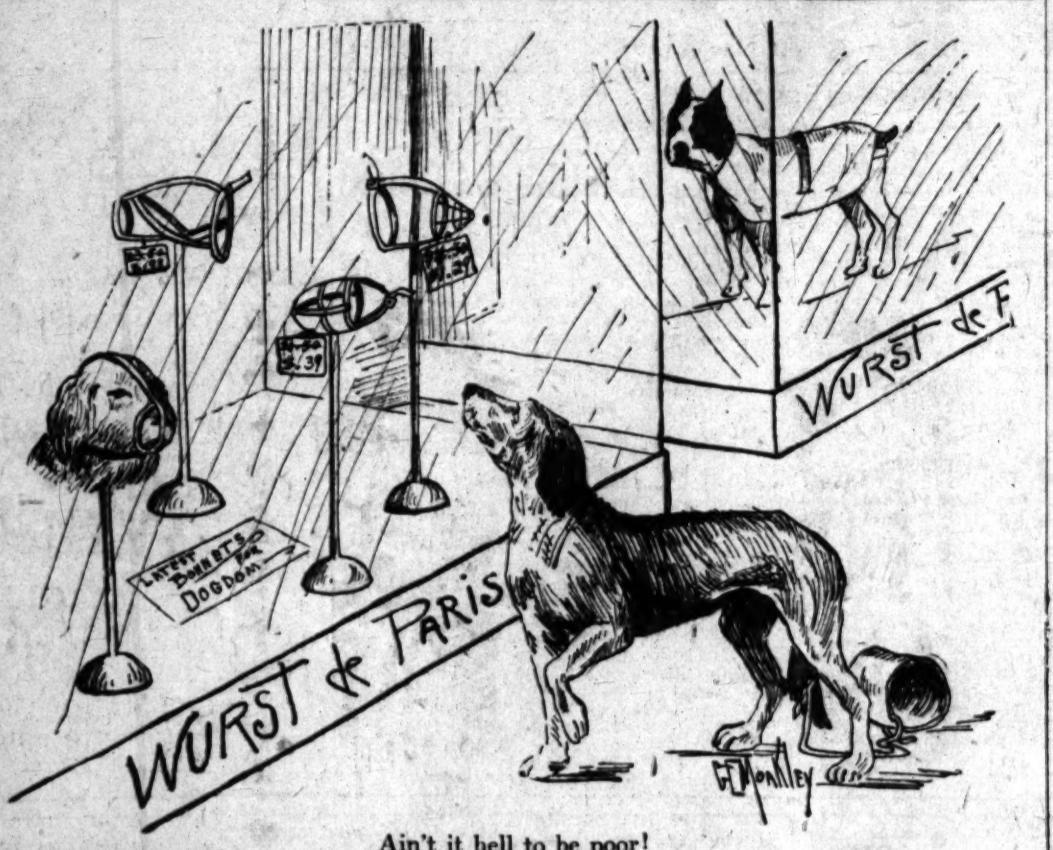
## WIFE CALLED HIM "SLOUCHY."

A divorce suit, which has some features out of the ordinary, was set for trial before Judge House today. The action has been filed by Thomas Moorehouse against Emma L. Moorehouse.

The couple were married in Riverside about five years ago, and have tried a thorax path since, according to the allegations which have been made.

Moorehouse declares that his wife accused him of being "sloshy," of looking like a longshoreman and a grocer's clerk, and that she told him she did not care for the street.

It also violates the suspicion that it



is necessary to "build a fire" under the Council in order to move it according to City Hall wags.

## SEEKS NEW SITE.

The Health Board, cramped in its little addition to the City Hall, has been asking for return to the Temple Street office, which the city owns. The board has decided it would rather have enough room there than remain in the canary in a cage in the present offices. The Board yesterday sent a letter to the Council asking that it be provided quarters in the old building.

## AT THE COURTHOUSE.

## BALM VERDICT FOR ATTORNEY.

## JUDGE BORDWELL'S DECISION IS AGAINST KINNEY.

Former Official of Ocean Park Gets Judgment for Small Sum from the "Dogs of Venice" in Suit for Libel, Mere as Punishment for Writer Than Damages.

Judge C. E. Bordwell in the sum of \$750 was poured out on the wounded feelings of William H. Anderson, former City Attorney of Ocean Park, but practicing in this city, at the expense of Abbot Kinney, the Dogs of Venice, by Judge Bordwell yesterday.

More than two years ago, the both cities were in a turmoil about the express on it in order to get it home as soon as possible. When it arrived, it caused a stir in the press and was advised as to the nature of its contents. He remarked that he had been assured that the rate would be higher, but was told by the clerk that he knew his business. Gilbert paid \$30.50 and took the machine.

Later it was discovered that \$21.25 more should have been collected, and the auto owner was sent a bill for that amount. He refused to pay it, and was brought up before Justice Ling's court. The magistrate rendered a decision in favor of the express company and the defendant took an appeal.

Anderson contends that his obligations ended when he paid the amount demanded, inasmuch as he made it plain to an agent of the company that the rate should have been higher and was informed that he had paid all that was required of him.

## GOLDEN DREAMS.

## ONLY NOTE IS LEPT.

The Jeffries Athletic Club, which was organized about two years ago with a flourish of trumpets, suffered a default judgment on a note for \$1,000, with exorbitant interest, in Department Eight yesterday.

Fred Hadley, who rendered it, is somewhat amused by the character of the case, which was an oddity.

He commented that the paper in which the libel was published had only a small circulation and consequently there were few persons who could verify the statement.

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He declared that it was apparent that Anderson's fine sensibilities were more hurt than was his reputation. It was also evident that it was not likely that the attorney would be able to sustain his reputation and that a sum sufficient to punish the writer of the libelous article should be awarded.

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There are millions in lumber and ships in the harbor and the channel nearly all the time and the fire pressure at San Pedro and the distribution of timber is estimated to be but enough for a large fire break out. With two fire boats offering six streams of the capacity mentioned it is believed the fire department will be able to prevent to resist any fire that may develop.

## CITY HALL FIRE.

## MAY MOVE COUNCIL.

While the City Clerk was drawing emergency requisitions for twenty-five polices of \$300 each to insure the City Hall and his assistants were putting a blaze in the basement of the City Hall with buckets.

## THE FIRE.

The fire started in some rubbish, probably from spontaneous combustion, and did little damage. But the arrangements were calm and an arrangement was created as the lower part of the building filled with smoke and gave the appearance of danger.

## THE CITY CLERK.

The City Clerk and the City Clerk went in an ordinary requisition a month ago. But the Council pursued its usual dilatory policy and Wednesday the clerk round that he had not received it in time for the next session favorably. The insurance would expire. So he was preparing an emergency requisition when the fire broke out in the basement of the building.

## THE CITY CLERK.

This also demonstrates that the City Clerk or his deputy was at work at 8:30 o'clock for that is the time the fire was discovered.

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## BUT WILL IS GOOD ONE.

A holographic will is not invalidated by the fact that the word "we" is used in the context and is subscribed by a man's wife as well as himself, when she has no interest in the property, according to a decision of Justice Hayes yesterday.

George Carlton died in 1905.

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FRIDAY MORNING.

## THE OIL INDUSTRY.

## EXPERT GIVES BIG FIGURES.

Immense Lot of Petroleum Stored in California.

Tank Cars Would Reach Thrice Around Globe.

Big Development Considered by New Companies.

Ralph Arnould, in charge of the petroleum investigations in California for the United States Geological Survey, has made careful measurements of the different fields in the State and estimates that they contain 3,500,000,000 barrels of petroleum, or more than one-third of the entire amount now stored in the ground in the United States. As estimated by the experts of the Geological Survey, the different fields are now believed to contain:

Appalachian Field	5,000,000,000
Illinoian Field	1,000,000,000
Louisiana Field	1,000,000,000
Mississippi Field	1,000,000,000
Gulf Field	1,000,000,000
Minor Fields	8,500,000,000
California Field	8,500,000,000

## NEW COMPANY FORMED.

WILL DRILL MANY WELLS. The Merchants' and Bankers' Oil Company, just organized in this city with a capital of \$1,500,000, at once will begin the drilling of eighty oil wells on two tracts of 180 acres each, which the company has just purchased. One tract is located in section 20, Kern River, and the company will begin operations with its holdings paid in North Midway. The company will begin operations with its holdings paid in immediate development.

The organizers of this company are Dr. W. A. France of Columbus, O.; Frank P. Beard of Baltimore, Md.; G. S. Gillette and others. The men also have interest in the Bankers' Oil Company, which has fifteen wells in the Kern River field, from which it secures 50 barrels of oil a day.

## Will Develop Oil Land.

The Rock Oil Company, recently organized with a capital stock of a total value of \$100,000,000, and one thousand shares of four wells on eighty acres that it owns in the North Midway field. The company's property is located in the midst of producing wells, and it expects to acquire additional territory immediately. All of the stock of the company will be absorbed by the organization.

The incorporators are L. C. Torrey, George Barker and Nicholas Bank, Los Angeles; T. H. Dudley, Dennis Monica; George Humphries and C. W. Jones, Sierra Madre, and associates.

## MAKES PROUD RECORD.

STOCK EXCHANGE BUSINESS. The business transacted on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange in March far exceeded that of either January or February in both volume and in value. In the first quarter of 1910 there was sold a total of 4,500,000 shares, of a value of \$2,400,000.

By month the record follows: January, 1,504,41 shares valued at \$300,000; February, 1,436,482 shares, valued at \$382,000; March, 2,434,165 shares, valued at \$1,765,800.

At this rate, the business for the year 1910 will reach a grand total of \$10,000,000. The speculative interest in oil stocks is remarkable for the big showing. Mining stocks have practically been neglected by the public.

## BIG SALE OF OIL LAND.

MOUNT DIABLO LETS GO.

One of the recent big sales of oil properties in the Midway district was the passing of the Mount Diablo section, 28-32-23, to the Hartford Oil Company for \$1,500,000. This price was paid by the Mount Diablo directors at a meeting held in Los Angeles one day last week. The transaction is one of the best-known traits of oil land in the State, every acre under lease on nearly, and with a big production.

The Mount Diablo Company was organized about ten years ago, the early stockholders mostly being railroad men. The principal owners now remaining are J. W. Jameson, Dr. C. E. Stone, N. K. Potter, Frank Bissington, G. A. Neff, Frank Worthington and C. E. Edmund. They own from 60,000 shares down to 10,000 shares each.

## STATE OIL BULLETIN.

EXPERTS NOW AT WORK. The California State Mining Bureau at present is engaged in preparing a comprehensive bulletin of the oil fields of the State. Enlisted in this vast work are State Mineralogist Aubrey, Paul W. Furtman, petroleum chemist and engineer, and W. H. Aubrey, constant in the field.

This oil bulletin will include as nearly as possible every oil well that has been drilled in the State of California. Mr. Furtman, who is spending a few days in Los Angeles, is devoting his entire attention to the San Joaquin Valley, while Mr. Aubrey is at work in the fields contiguous to Los Angeles.

As this work progresses, reports are prepared for the press, and two weeks ago The Times published Mr. Furtman's first report on the Kern River and Coast oil districts. In addition to its practical value to oil operators of the State, these reports will hold a sentimental interest for the old-timers in the oil industry of California, because of the space that will be devoted to early development.

## WITHDRAWAL ORDER.

EFFECT ON DEVELOPMENT. Not fewer than 100 oil wells started drilling and fully 1000 new derricks were set up on public land since the withdrawal order of the Secretary of the Interior last September. Is the estimate of W. H. Hill of Bakersfield, and the figures are declared to be conservative? G. R. Zumwalt and others who are familiar with the development in wildcat territory in the Midway and McKittrick front.

The discrepancy between the number of derricks built and the number of derricks actually at work is explained in the fact that in large part the new territory is practically unbroken, so far as drilling necessities for drilling, and it is in part to the extreme haste with which all the work has been done. Losses in their frantic efforts to save time from jumping, first put them in position, then they built cabanas, and then derricks. With men on the ground and derrick up they are comparatively safe from

## W.B. Reduso CORSETS

LARGE women find the REDUSO the most comfortable, sensible and durable corset they can wear. Unaided by harness-like attachments, bands or straps, it reduces measurements of hips and abdomen from one to five inches.

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the Republican nomination for State Printer.

All the delegates to the Democratic conference will be the guests of the Jefferson Club in the German building next Wednesday night, the birthday anniversary of one T. J. Jefferson, deceased. Secretary F. C. Clegg heads a committee that is preparing an elaborate luncheon as well as a programme that will include a little of everything from music to speeches by well known local visiting Democrats.

Charley Curry writes me that he will be in Los Angeles the latter part of this month or early in May. While here he will make his headquarters at the Alexandria Hotel.

The Link-Rooters have established headquarters in the Rindge building, Third and Broadway.

## THE WATCHMAN.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered messages at the Western Union office for William McCullough, Mrs. Maud Crowley, J. T. Manes, Mrs. Wallace Good, Mrs. J. Whitehead, Oscar Cartlidge, Vegetable Supply Company, Dr. M. C. Myers, Phil Borchmann and the De Laval Dairy Supply Company.

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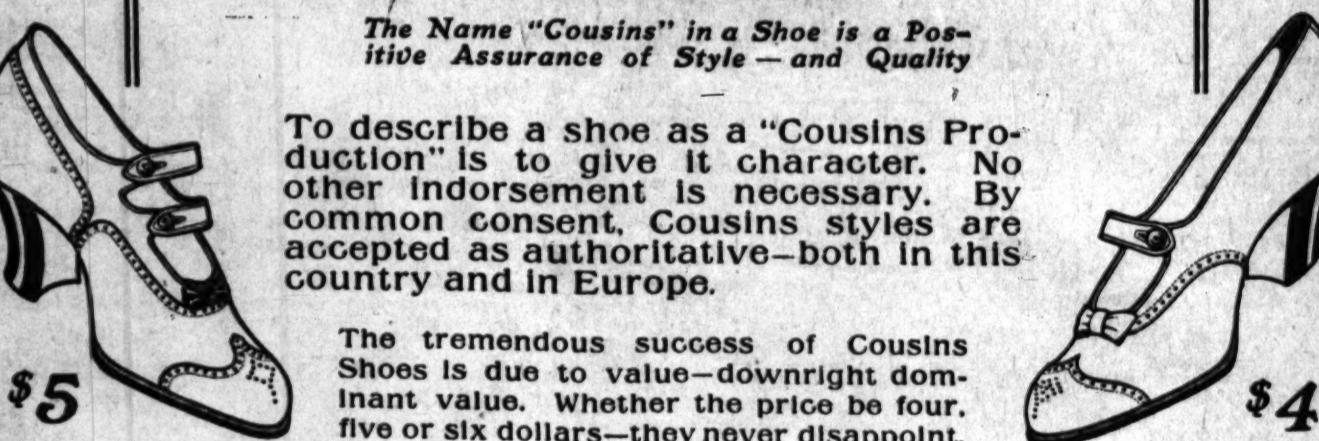
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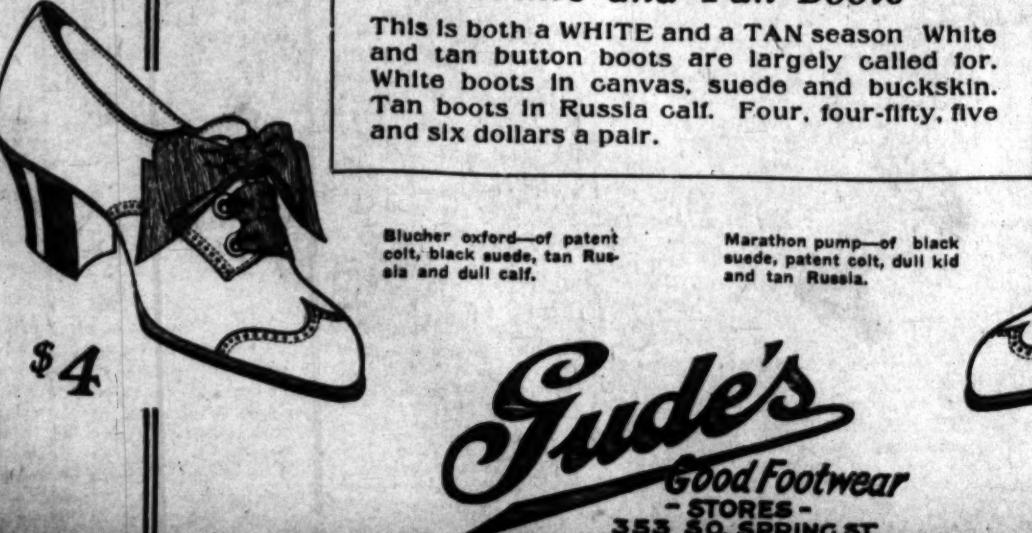


## White and Tan Boots

This is both a WHITE and a TAN season White and tan button boots are largely called for. White boots in canvas, suede and buckskin. Tan boots in Russia calf. Four, four-fifty, five and six dollars a pair.

Blucher oxford—of patent coil; black suede, tan Russia and dull calf.

Marathon pump—of black suede, patent coil, dull kid and tan Russia.



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REAL "ARRIVED" GENIUS.Superb Tone, Great Temperament  
and a Technique Which Has Al-  
ready Mastered Everything Promises  
to Place Her in Front Rank, Within  
a Few Years—Minor News.Perhaps Oiga Stieb was right, when  
she said, "I must go to Europe for my  
reputation, and earn it all there, for  
that's what the United States depends on."At least enough has been written  
about her, in the past six months, to  
have filled Simpson Auditorium twice  
over for curiosity's sake at least, but  
however that may be, she appears  
there last night was not at all large,  
indeed it ended up in abundant appre-  
ciation what it lacked in size.Oiga Stieb shined, in her playing,  
the same great technique which was so  
magnificently manifest before she went  
to Europe, and in addition that maturity  
which finds its best demonstration  
in repose.In its repose which makes a great  
pianist—her a master player of any other  
instrument—in repose one gives each  
phrase its full value. Without repose  
everything is jumbled, confused—hope-  
lessly tangled.She was reported, which marked Josef  
Loewe's visit here, and his quiet, dainty Chopin readings, delib-  
erate as a sunset or a dawn, were hailed  
with more enthusiasm than has ever  
been displayed at a piano recital in Los  
Angeles.Miss Stieb has also gained something  
in the quality of her tone. It is mal-  
low, round, quite without edges—  
a more sound, poised without nothing  
more than nothing. And, indeed, with  
nothing apparent beginning and with-  
out suddenly noticeable end. That is  
the secret.In power, she had the gradations of  
power, she had the gradations of  
power—but the young players learning cir-  
cumstances for the first time are apt to  
claim everything, and are not content  
to reproduce any study unless it con-  
tains a terrific climax at the end.She was reported, just how beauti-  
fully Oiga Stieb has outgrown this in-  
fantile state was finely shown last  
night, in her long, sustained, quiet  
readings of several compositions, notably  
the Liszt Transcendental Petrouchka  
and the Chopin Impromptu in F sharp.Miss Stieb is a mistress of intelligent  
interpretation, giving each of her  
selected forms and being, and making  
the transients of thought—not mere  
bounding janglers for the reproduction  
of a fingering ability.So much has been written of Oiga  
Stieb, and rewritten in all ways, that  
it is safe to say that she has a pleasing little personality,  
a physical and nervous power quite  
beyond her diminutive stature, and a  
dramatic freedom and nonchalance than  
any who have seen her before can audience  
of any critical capacity, no matter how  
severe.In a simple white gown she sat at  
the piano, her hair in all ways, that  
great a presentment entirely from memory—but it is merely one of a dozen  
programmes she might deliver at com-  
mand.Next Saturday she will play again,  
and it is to be hoped that her audience  
will be larger, for the next time she  
comes—at virtuous prices—the will  
probably turn them away.Her programme includes the Bach,  
Johann Friederich Fugue in E Flat,  
Mozart Pastoral Variations, the Beethoven  
Gavotte and Variations, the Beethoven  
Prometheus in F Sharp, the Liszt Sotto-  
det Petrouchka, and the "Midsummer  
Night's Dream" Fantasy.The First Congregational orchestra  
will give its thirty-sixth popular con-  
cert this evening at the First Congregational  
Church. Mendelssohn's "Reformation" will  
be performed by a chorus of well-selected  
voices, under the leadership of J. B. Foulin. The programme  
will be entirely operatic.Under the auspices of the College of  
Music, U.S.C., a piano recital will be  
given this evening in the college church  
by Miss Juliet Nave, who is a member of  
the graduating class. She will be  
assisted by Pauline Fredenborg, violin,  
and Miss Carrie Trowbridge, accom-  
panist.There will be a "scamper" of the  
White Rats at Levy's at 11 o'clock ton-  
ight, in honor of George Fuller Gold-  
man, their president, who has recently  
come to Southern California to recruit  
from a severe illness.One of the most interesting—and one  
of the final—vocal recitals of the ses-  
sion will be given this evening at the  
Friday Morning Clubhouse by Mary L.  
Grand Reed. Mrs. Reed has prepared  
an excellent programme, and will be  
assisted by Maurice Koopman and  
Mary O'Donnough.Miss Marjorie Rambeau bought an  
automobile yesterday. It is a \$160  
Model, and there is serious danger of  
the Burbank's leading woman forget-  
ting rehearsals and performances in  
her new hobby.There was a long line at the box office  
of the Majestic Theater yesterday  
morning waiting for the opening  
of the seat sale for Kolb and Dill,  
who begin their local engagement Sun-  
day night in "The Rich Mr. Hoggan-  
dinner."The success which has attended the  
production of "The Lion and the  
Mouse" at the Burbank this week has  
resulted in such a demand for seats  
that it has been decided to continue  
Charles Klein's drama one more week.Furio Hartman yesterday announced  
that he has secured several of George  
M. Cohen's musical comedy successes  
which will very shortly be seen for the  
first time by a stock musical organiza-  
tion at the Grand Operahouse. Prints  
copies among them are "George Wash-  
ington," "The Wizard," "The American  
Cinéma," in which the company will  
open next Sunday afternoon. It will  
not be expected that the production  
ever sees the stage at the Grand Operahouse.  
Mr. Hartman will also give George  
Cohen's "The American Idea," which  
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rather than written, by Fred  
Lyon, the New York Hippo-biggest scenic shows ever turned out.  
The scenes which are part of some  
many mechanical devices employed in  
the course of the play. It will take  
considerable time to build the produc-  
tion, and the date of the Burbank  
presentation will be announced later.Several hundred tickets for the  
People's Country Club Minstrels, to be  
given Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons,  
were disposed of yesterday afternoon  
at the Belasco matinee. Members  
of the Burbank and Belasco  
stock companies who will take part  
in the minstrel show appear in costume  
and make-up in the foyer of the  
Belasco, and be visible over persons  
who have been attending the minstrel  
with the result that numerous dollars  
were added to the fund with which to  
furnish the new country club.The minstrel show will be partici-  
pated in by members of local stock  
companies. An organization is for  
such a worthy cause, it undoubtedly  
will be patronized most liberally.Prior to the opening of each matinée  
Tuesday and Wednesday, the minstrel  
men will parade through the down-  
town streets. Byron Massey and  
Lewis Stone will be in line. There  
will follow Henry Stockbridge, Rich-  
ard Vivian, Charles Ruggles, Frank  
Camp, James Swinnerton, Edgar Temple  
and forty others.

FROM "M. AND M."

President Plummer Urges Voters to  
Support the Harbor and Power  
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To the Voters of Los Angeles:

The message I bring to you is one  
from a business man, representing as  
his method of intelligence, an organiza-  
tion of business men who have given  
their character and standing to the com-  
munity; men who have given and  
expect to continue to give their time and  
substance, in the work of making Los  
Angeles one of the great cities of the  
world; men who labor, not for their  
personal gain, but actuated only by  
civic pride, and when I say to you that  
this organization urges you to vote for  
the Harbor and Power bonds, such a message should appeal  
to you and have its influence in mold-  
ing public sentiment.We're ready with a complete  
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and Manufacturers' Association is  
increasing steadily though no special  
campaign has been made for new  
members. The association at present  
has within its membership, the  
merchants of the representative concerns  
of the city. Those joining yesterday  
are: Holabird-Reynolds Electric  
Company, Wynn and Cerf, Suttorum  
Dye House, Library Bureau Inc.,  
Bobshay-Carpenter Company, J. R.  
Jacobs, W. T. Jacobs, United States Electrical  
Manufacturing Company and Mead and Cook.

IMPALED ON SHAFT.

Runaway Horse Committe Involuntary  
Suicide and Blocks Traffic in  
Third Street Tunnel.In a collision with a light bakery  
wagon at the east entrance of the  
Third street tunnel, yesterday morn-  
ing, a horse hitched to a wagon of the  
Los Angeles Ice and Cold Storage  
Company, was impaled on one of the  
shafts.A Crown Hill car of the Pacific Elec-  
tric collided with the ice company's  
team near the west entrance of the  
tunnel. The horses became frightened  
and ran away, throwing G. H. Good-  
win from the seat and painfully in-  
juring him.

If You Want to Go East C. Haydock.

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## EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

Mrs. Leland Russell Taylor,  
a bride of the week.

LARGE centerpiece of pink carnations and brake ferns ornamented the table yesterday for a tea party given at Hotel Alexander by Mrs. Charles O. Middleton in honor of her mother and sister, Mrs. Alice Anderson, wife of the late George Anderson and Miss E. Anderson, who will leave Saturday for Boston; Washington and New York, where they will spend twelve months. Hand printed cards marked places for Nathaniel R. Scott, Mrs. Thomas L. Under, Mrs. John A. Vaughan, Mrs. George H. Call, Mrs. W. C. Reed, Mrs. J. Waggoner, Mrs. Myers, Miss Ruthie, Miss Lou Winder, Miss Agnes Thrune and Miss Myers.

## Balch to Entertain.

Mrs. Allen C. Balch will entertain at a delightful affair the 21st inst., the California Club, in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. James McBride.

## Arrived Yesterday.

Mrs. Mary A. Ford of Pennsylvania, a married aunt to Ronald Farnsworth, arrived yesterday from the king place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Horowitz of No. 857 Harvard boulevard, Rev. William Horowitz officiating. Mrs. William Howards was matron of honor, and we a group of girls dressed in trimmings with baby Irish lace. Marie James was best man.

The point d' esprit over site was attained with the old lace and long veil fastened to the orange blossoms. Miss Horowitz and Horowitz played the wedding music. Pink and white blossoms were used in decorating. The guests were Mrs. Emily F. Sarkin of Pasadena, Mrs. A. F. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Donald, Miss Lillian Beatty, Mr. L. Beck, Miss Hilda Barber, Dr. and Mrs. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Willis, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Marquardt, Mr. and Mrs. William P. McCall, Mr. and Mrs. A. Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark, Miss Bonnie Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pomeroy and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Andreote.

## Dinner Dance.

A number of local society people who are guests at a dinner dance given at Hotel Virginia, Long Beach, recently included Mr. and Mrs. R. Farley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Godshall, Mr. and Mrs. T. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith, Mrs. Earne, Miss Stearns, Mrs. Schaffer, Mrs. Eckerson, Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Niles, Mrs. Humphrey, I. W. Martin, Miss Hogan, Miss Dempster, Miss Starbuck, William Maddock and Miss Phillips.

## Prominent Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Laughlin, Jr. and Master Homer Laughlin III were recent guests at Hotel Virginia.

## Some Wedding.

At the home of her mother, Mrs. H. Brooks, of No. 415 West Twenty-second street, occurred the wedding of Edith of the Bell Telephone Company and Leland Russell Taylor, of

## KIDNEY PRESCRIPTION

One of the Best Known Cures for Kidneys, Liver or Bladder.  
Nearly every one has their favorite remedy for various ills, but here is one that beats them all when it comes to trouble with the kidneys, bladder or liver. Mix together six ounces of pure gin, one-half ounce murax compound, one-half ounce fluid extract buchu. One to two teaspoonsfuls of this mixture is a dose, and should be taken three times a day after meals. It will quickly cure lame, back, rheumatic pains in the joints, highly colored urine, scanty, frequent urination, urethritis, and headache in the head, which are well known signs of trouble in the kidneys and other urinary organs. Any good druggist can supply the above ingredients.

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Mrs. G. H. Walker, Mrs. H. E. Wanemaker, Mrs. C. T. Riley, Mrs. F. E. Lyons, Mrs. W. P. Miller, Mrs. M. E. Hills, Mrs. C. Mahanna, Miss Josephine Bush, Miss Jessie Bundt, Misses Consisting of eight girls, happiness were awarded to Mrs. Hills and Mrs. Wanamaker. The house was beautifully decorated with lilies and roses with a setting of green, furnished by quantities of ferns.

## To Receive.

Mrs. Harry Harrington, who with Mr. Harrington, will leave this month for a tour through Europe, will be at home to friends informally at the Angelus, Monday.

## At Home.

Mrs. S. O. Houghton will entertain with her second at home this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Guests will be received at the home of her mother on Westlake avenue.

## Wedding Announcement.

Announcement is made of the wedding of Miss Florence La Reine Merriman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Merrill of this city, to Dr. Frederick Howland, of Boston, which was solemnized this month in Berkeley.

## Arrive Safely.

A cable to the steamship department, German-American Savings Bank, advised the arrival of Yokohama, Japan of Miss Adelade M. Bindley, Miss Alice Blanchard, Dr. E. C. Buell, Mrs. Addison, Dr. Day, P. A. Gervie, Mrs. Hartley, Miss Myrtle, Misses C. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lakesworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Koepfl, Miss Hortense Koepfl, Master Joseph Koepfl, Captain McClellan, Miss Elizabeth McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson, Miss Susan H. Reaves, Mrs. E. L. Redding, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Roberts, Alexander Ross, Miss Lillian Rub, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Saito, Misses Emily, Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Tothurst, Mrs. E. F. Underhill, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Vogel, Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., Mr. Hugh K. Walker, Mrs. F. R. Warner, Miss Lucy Wheeler, Mrs. E. B. Wright, Mrs. W. H. Harrison.

## Bridge Party.

Mrs. C. N. Hopkins, No. 425 Pasadena avenue, entertained recently with a bridge party and luncheon in honor of Miss Gertrude Beatty of Chicago. Besides the girls of humor, the most prominent, Mrs. J. W. Pendergast, Mrs. James Watt, Mrs. F. W. Hopkins, Mrs. J. R. Miller, Mrs. D. J. Bundy, Mrs. C. N. Hopkins, No. 425 Pasadena avenue, entertained recently with a bridge party and luncheon in honor of Miss Gertrude Beatty of Chicago. Besides the girls of humor, the most prominent, Mrs. J. W. Pendergast, Mrs. James Watt, Mrs. F. W. Hopkins, Mrs. J. R. Miller, Mrs. D. J. Bundy.

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Your attention—your undivided attention—is directed to the two lines of Trimmed Hats we tell about below. See them in the window and on the sales counters. Aside from these two special lots there will be exceptionally strong values in higher-priced hats—from \$6.50 to \$15.

Trimmed Hats at  
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Latest spring styles—  
pressed straw shapes—  
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front and side roll effects;  
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Motordrome races, wound up the final in Vernon  
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## Furniture, Floor Coverings and Draperies

## Removal Sale

There Are Eight Days Left  
in Our Removal Sale

There are eight days in which you are going to decide whether to buy furniture you need at a big saving.

When the oldest furniture house in Los Angeles, backed by years of reputable business methods and upright dealing, promises you large savings on your purchases, its promises are not to be lightly held.

And we promise you savings—savings that are real and worth any one's while, and on merchandise as good and as reliable as money can buy.

The saving, moreover, is not on a few close out pieces, but on an immense stock of new, clean and dependable furniture, floor coverings and draperies.

Some idea of the extent of the savings may be gained when we tell you that there are hundreds of pieces of furniture for the bedroom, the dining-room, the hall, the den, the library and the living-room on which your saving is exactly one-half of the entire original prices.

The saving is for every purse; for our Removal Sale prices apply to the cheapest pieces in our immense stock as well as to the beautiful, solid mahogany pieces costing hundreds of dollars.

There are eight business days left until we move to our new location at 420-24 South Spring street. If you need anything whatever for the home, by all means, get it within these eight days.

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Bought at 50c On the Dollar**

The shoe buy of the season. 2000 pairs ladies' shoes purchased at just one-half of the wholesale cost, so we have arranged them for quick selling at

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You had better hurry, for they cannot last long. In the lot you will find most any kind of shoe you are looking for, lace, button or ankle strap pumps. All leathers. Patent kid, gun metal or vici. Shoes that other stores sell for \$3 to \$4, here at

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Even young girls wear the head band—combs—with the natural hair pulled softly around the face.

In the white silk braid dress-trimmed one finds a touch of color added by means of coral beads.

Gloves of various kid similar in appearance to suede, but a little heavier, are in demand in Paris.

Hats of leather trimmed with ribbon are among the smart accessories the tailored girls are wearing this spring.

Even girls make a bit of gold or silver or steel or copper braid or trimming in its composition.

German val, and Irish crochet in combination are used on most fetching linear dresses of sheer batiste.

Beds in the style of Titian and Mohor Sutting 39c

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

PASADENA.  
FORM COMPANY  
DURING REST.*Ruling Passion Strong With  
Rich Holiday-Makers.**Beguile Vacation by Forming  
Paper Syndicate.**Consolidation Suggestions  
Are Heard Again.*

Office of The Times, No. 28, Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, April 8.—Announcement was made here late last night of the organization of a paper manufacturing company to be located in Spokane. The stockholders are all wealthy capitalists, among whom are C. W. Howard, Neenah, Wis.; J. H. Robbins, Greton, Mass.; Jacob Mortenson, Oak Park, Ill.; F. A. Gilcrest, Kearney, Neb.; S. S. Blacker, Pasadena; Jay P. Graves and Clyde Graves, Spokane.

A contract has been given to Charles B. Fries, a paper pulp mill architect of Spokane, for building the mill, with instructions to complete it as soon as possible. It is hoped to have it in operation next winter and to be able to find a market on the Pacific Coast.

All the principal stockholders are lumbermen, who are the friends of F. P. Graves, the Spokane multimillionaire, who is interested in railroads and mines besides having timber interests. C. W. Howard is one of the heaviest stockholders, an expert in paper mill man. He organized the C. W. Howard Company, paper manufacturers of Menasha, Wis., and sold out a short time ago. Howard's plan was a member of the General Paper Company, known as the Wisconsin paper trust, until that combine was dissolved by the power of the law.

The organizers of the new company have all been winter guests at the Hotel Maryland. During their leisure hours they got together, and after listening to the story of F. P. Graves for a paper mill at Spokane as explained by a bunch of boosters, finally perfected the organization and Mr. Howard left last night for Spokane to get things in shape.

CONSOLIDATION MOVEMENT.  
In line with the present proposed general improvement, Pasadena is fast getting the consolidation fever. Alhambra and South Pasadena have been making tentative overtures for the past three months, but not until yesterday did Pasadena pay any attention or give any heed to the knocking for recognition.

The directors of the Board of Trade have authorized President Off to appoint a committee of five to confer with like bodies from Alhambra and South Pasadena, and to see if it is consolidating the three cities into one.

Several months ago the Alhambra board appointed a committee, which was instructed to consider consolidation with either Pasadena, South Pasadena or Los Angeles. It is said it favors Pasadena, but would also like to have South Pasadena come in, so that one big, thriving city may be made.

The South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce has discussed the matter, but has not appointed a committee. At the present time, every one in the city is busily engaged in the contest for city officials, and has little time to devote to this matter. As a matter of fact, the citizens of South Pasadena are divided, those living in the western section favor joining Los Angeles, and those in the eastern section prefer Pasadena.

The circulation of petitions in the districts surrounding Pasadena, South Pasadena and Alhambra, asking for consolidation to Los Angeles, has started the movement for joining the three cities. Virtually they are one already. They are in the same valley, on the same level, built up by a people who are similar in their habits, and it is difficult for them to tell one from another. Even the majority of the residents cannot tell where the boundary lines are.

Alhambra and South Pasadena have no sewerage system. The residents are compelled to use cesspools. Pasadena has one of the best sewer systems in California, and could accommodate all three cities easily. South Pasadena has a good water system, but for water, and Alhambra is near its limit. Pasadena can develop enough for all, according to estimates by the United States Geological Survey. Even if the consolidated cities were large for the present supply, a branch of the Owens River aqueduct can easily be run across from the upper edge of San Fernando Valley and supply all.

The proposition broached at a dinner given by the South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce in December that the three cities be consolidated and then become annexed to Los Angeles, leaving theborough system, maintaining independence, and the municipal government, is the plan generally favored.

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MADAME BUTTERFLY."

The largest social function of yesterday was the second of a series of recital programs given by Mmes. Daniel M. Linnard and William Douglas Turner at Hotel Maryland. The music

society matrons and maids, who listened to Mrs. Turner's reading of "Madame Butterfly," with musical interpretation from "Puccini's famous opera." Banket roses in festoons and long sprays, hanging baskets of ferns upon which were poised delicate butterflies, and white iris decorated the rooms. Mrs. Turner and the reading was a Japanese robe of scarlet and broderie in white chrysanthemums and butterflies.

After the recital Mrs. Linnard and her husband held a formal reception in the Japanese tearoom. Mrs. Linnard was an elegant robe of Irish point and Mrs. Turner a Japanese crepe of white, embroidered in white. Refreshments were served in the music room. Uninvited guests attending were Mmes. Charles C. Burdett, J. Dawson, Thomson, William Frankin Knight, John T. Warren, Neal K. Taylor, Henry Newby, James Macom Morrison, J. C. Michener and Francis Tucker.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON.

Mrs. George Gerald Guyer entertained yesterday at her Altadena home in honor of Mrs. White of Detroit, with a bridge luncheon which was elaborately appointed. Covers were laid for Freeman A. Ford, Henry May, Robinson, Chas. D. Cather, J. B. Stiles, E. N. Kelley, G. Cross, Frankish, Willard Barnhardt, W. D. McGivern, Frederick Wann of Los Angeles and Miss Putnam.

MRS. MORGAN MOTORS.

Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan and Miss Annie Morgan, wife and daughter, respectively, of the New York financier, returned to Hollywood yesterday, accompanied by Miss Florence Shatt and Blithe. The party arrived from the East day before yesterday, and is at the Raymond.

BROWNING CLUB.

The Browning Club of Pasadena held its monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at the College of Fine Arts, Garvanza. Following an informal luncheon, the members attended an excellent literary and musical programme.

Mrs. Ben Franklin read a paper on the subject, "Marriage of Poets," and Wilbur sang several songs.

An announcement was given last night in the First Methodist Church by Dr. George Kress of Los Angeles, recently attended the International Tuberculosis Congress at Washington. Addresses were also made by Dr. Pottinger of Menasha, and Dr. C. E. Mattison of Pasadena. The subject was "Tuberculosis, Its Prevention and Treatment." Dr. Kress illustrated his talk with lantern slides, which were very interesting to the large audience, composed mostly of students of the public schools.

GREEN TO CLOSE.

Hotel Green will close for the season on the 20th inst. Manager D. B. Plummer, accompanied by his wife, left yesterday for Brier Cliff, New York, where he will look after Brier Cliff Lodge, which opened for a paper mill at Spokane as explained by a bunch of boosters, finally perfected the organization and Mr. Howard left last night for Spokane to get things in shape.

CONSOLIDATION MOVEMENT.  
In line with the present proposed general improvement, Pasadena is fast getting the consolidation fever. Alhambra and South Pasadena have been making tentative overtures for the past three months, but not until yesterday did Pasadena pay any attention or give any heed to the knocking for recognition.

The directors of the Board of Trade have authorized President Off to appoint a committee of five to confer with like bodies from Alhambra and South Pasadena, and to see if it is consolidating the three cities into one.

Several months ago the Alhambra board appointed a committee, which was instructed to consider consolidation with either Pasadena, South Pasadena or Los Angeles. It is said it favors Pasadena, but would also like to have South Pasadena come in, so that one big, thriving city may be made.

The South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce has discussed the matter, but has not appointed a committee. At the present time, every one in the city is busily engaged in the contest for city officials, and has little time to devote to this matter. As a matter of fact, the citizens of South Pasadena are divided, those living in the western section favor joining Los Angeles, and those in the eastern section prefer Pasadena.

The circulation of petitions in the districts surrounding Pasadena, South Pasadena and Alhambra, asking for consolidation to Los Angeles, has started the movement for joining the three cities. Virtually they are one already. They are in the same valley, on the same level, built up by a people who are similar in their habits, and it is difficult for them to tell one from another. Even the majority of the residents cannot tell where the boundary lines are.

Alhambra and South Pasadena have no sewerage system. The residents are compelled to use cesspools. Pasadena has one of the best sewer systems in California, and could accommodate all three cities easily. South Pasadena has a good water system, but for water, and Alhambra is near its limit. Pasadena can develop enough for all, according to estimates by the United States Geological Survey. Even if the consolidated cities were large for the present supply, a branch of the Owens River aqueduct can easily be run across from the upper edge of San Fernando Valley and supply all.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

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IN COW BARN.Ana Dairyman Gives  
Remarkable Feast.Has Out Bold Plan With  
Great Success.Demonstrates Milk Supply Is  
of the Very Best.

ANA, April 7.—About 100 dined tonight with 150 cows at Santa Ana and Jersey farm, one row of animals, their heads in iron stanchions, faced a set table that stretched the full length of the barn.

The guests feasted on hamsteaks, Spanish beans and goblets of milk. Jarsers on one side, Holstein on the other, partook of their meal. J. T. Raitt, manager of dairy, the largest in the country, had out a bold plan serving a meal to horned animals.

Officers with him took to demonstrate that a dairy can be kept sanitary and clean as a parlor, and that this city's milk supplies are safe.

They succeeded. There were no foul odors in fact, no odor at all, but the breast milk. The barn is kept by water carried in trenches by cement floor behind each row of animals.

With Attorney H. J. Forgy as master, speeches were made by Mrs. C. D. Hall, J. L. Clark and a woman addressed the audience.

"Gentlemen and cows," "orchestral music" was furnished while playing their trade.

MILK BANK SHARES.

A syndicate composed of Daniel S. W. A. Huff, J. D. Parsons, J. N. McNeil, C. F. Mansur, Dr. J. R. Thompson, V. V. M., H. E. Simons, H. T. Rutherford, A. T. Palmer and the Comptroller of the Commercial Bank of Santa Ana, Palmer, nearly 50 per cent of the stock expected that there will be a combination of the Commercial Bank and the First National Bank, and that the Home Savings which is connected with the latter will be changed into a savings and trust company and run as a bank institution.

Noah Palmer, one of the pioneer bankers of the stock is now highly rapidly.

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FEAST ON ANT COWS.

Dinner Deux With Great Gusto

Found at Cement Plant at

Colton.

DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ELTON, April 7.—(Exclusive Dis-

covery was

the cement plant yesterday at

Colton.

The Mexican employees were exca-

vating for a road from the works to

a powder house on Mt. Slover. In

the crevices in the earth were

layers of myrmecocystus Mexi-

canus known as the honey ant,

and called by the Mexicans "ant."

In some instances they were

packed in uniform layers, while

the pockets they stood in position

in stalls, just with passage-

ways between them for the

which it is thought a passage

of art is exceedingly rare,

being the first discovered in

the country, although they

are common in Mexico, where

they are eaten for food. The

ants were greatly excited, and

ran about with great energy.

The ants are the balloon shape,

which is filled with honey,

ants being too heavy to move

and are fed with honey obtained

from the department in the ants.

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LUMBER PILER KILLED.

W. Booth, a lumber piler for the Beckwith Company, fell twenty-four feet to his death at Fredricks this morning. He was on a pile of lumber and stooped to pick up a board, when he toppled from the pile and plunged to the ground on his head and shoulders. He died soon afterward. The remains were brought to the morgue of Bartons &amp; Shaw, where the inquest will be held tomorrow.

MAY GO TO COURT.

Escondido Land and Town Com-

May Fight Against Assessment

for Flume.

ESCONDIDO, April 7.—The fact

that the Escondido Land and Town

Company has allowed its assessment

of \$240 for repairs on the flume line

to go delinquent, it is believed by many to show that the company

contemplates contesting the payment in the courts. It is the second assessment which the directors have made within the year, being the first cont-

The Land and Town Company owns

one-fifth of the stock. The date of the sale is April 22. Large irrigators hold

the balance of power in the board of

directors.

For the city election next Monday

chief interest centers in the contest for

Marshall, for which office there are

three candidates, Frank Stiles, incum-

bent; A. C. Goedel and M. L. Cul-

pitt. Other candidates are in the field for

three vacancies on the Board of Trus-

tees. Capt. H. J. Merritt, E. B.

Buell, H. N. Carpenter and G. W.

Wilson.

J. A. Whetstone of the Palma Vista

ranch has hit upon the plan of mak-

ing fertilizer from the stems of the

citrus orchard. He reduces the lime

to small pieces with a sawing outfit

mounted on wheels. The bits are sent



Men Dine With Cows at Santa Ana.

Banquet given in barn to demonstrate that dairy can be kept sanitary and as clean as parlor.

QUITE RIGHT, TOO.  
CURTAILMENT IS CONDEMNED

## PROTEST AGAINST THE USE OF "SAN BERDOO."

Native Sons Style Abbreviation as Cheap and Coarse and Ask Co-operation of All Self-Respecting Citizens in Putting Down Belittling Practice—Fredrike Man Killed.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 7.—The Native Sons are determined that San Bernardino shall not be known as "San Berdoe." A motion has been adopted and sent broadcast which is calculated to raise the city in the respect of outsiders. It says:

"Whereas, there is manifest by certain individuals a tendency to belittle and disparage us and our town by means of cheap and coarse abbreviations of our city's name, therefore, be it resolved, that, out of regard for ourselves and in defense of the name that is dear to us, Arrowhead Parlor, No. 110, deems it proper to express itself in utter condemnation of the use of any other name for this city than San Bernardino. In this we ask the co-operation of all self-respecting citizens, and of our good friends, wherever they may be."

The first protest against the abbreviation of San Bernardino came from Judge Bledsoe, who over a year ago, received a witness from the bench for Pomona, who told him as "San Ber-

doe." The Escondido Whist Club was organized. Two years ago, the members of the club, who had filed a bill in the state legislature, were defeated in their efforts to get the name changed to "San Ber-

doe."

DOUBLE TRACK CONTRACT.

George West of this city has secured the contract for double tracking the Santa Fe between Ash Fork and Fairview, Ariz. This is the second of the double track contracts which West has secured from the Santa Fe. Today a big load of men and horses arrived at the town which the work will commence.

West expects soon to complete the double track between Barstow and Cottonwood. The company is engaged in double tracking its system all the way from Los Angeles to Chicago, and construction crews are now engaged in California, Arizona and Kansas.

CONVICTED, CONFESSES.

Ponciano Perea, 19 years old, was convicted last night of the murder of Hernandez Timoteo, whom he beat to death during a drunken brawl at Colton some months ago. The trial resulted in a hung jury. The verdict of guilty in the first degree, with a recommendation that the prisoner be confined to the penitentiary. His name is as surprising as the evidence, though strong, was wholly circumstantial. Today the prisoner made a complete confession.

CHURCH CANNVAS.

The church officers elected for the year were: Wilbur H. Howard, trustee; A. Hooker, clerk; Mrs. J. H. Cox, treasurer; C. W. Derby, treasurer of benevolences; Theodore D. Hurd, auditor; Kenneth Hendry, D. G. Mitchell, W. A. Purington, H. O. Reed, J. F. Rockhold, E. D. Keck, L. A. MacEvon, A. H. Hooker, Claude W. Waite, John Woodcock, S. H. Herrick, Mrs. H. Wood Hall, Mrs. J. D. Cox, Mrs. E. F. Kingman and Miss M. P. Lyman. Plans will be secured by this committee.

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